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Inventor(s)/Applicant Identifier: John Michael Brown

For: DETERMINISTIC TESTING OF EDGE-TRIGGERED LOGIC

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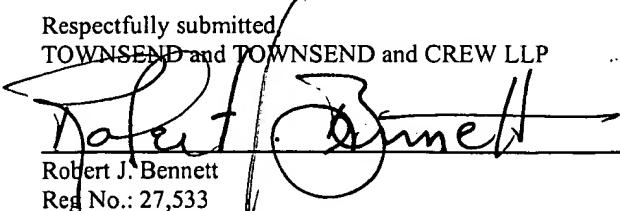
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